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LONDON, February 3.

SUNDAY Morning, between three and four o'Clock, His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, attended by several Persons of Distinction, set out from St. James's House for Harwich, in order to embark there on board the Yachts for *Flanders*, to take upon him the Command of the Allied Army, attended by the Lord Viscount Bury, Col. Fitzwilliams, and Lord Cathcart; and the Wind proving fair, 'twas thought his Royal Highness arrived at Holland Yesterday.

Letters from the Hague say, that Gen. Kheil (who just before the Breaking out of the late Affair at Genoa, had, by Order of the Queen of Hungary, acquainted M. Botta of his having been too complaisant to the Genoese) had the chief Command at the forcing the Passages of the Bochetta; that he had drove the Genoese quite into the City, having given no Quarter to those he came up with, but put all to the Sword, both Men, and Women and Children: However he could not stand his Ground for Want of Provisions, but was forced to march back to the main Army, who had then cross'd the Bochetta, and were waiting the coming up of their Cannon; and that during the Time of their encamping there, a most solemn Deputation came to them from the City of Genoa, consisting of two Senators and four principal Inhabitants, earnestly to implore her Imperial Majesty the Queen of Hungary's Mercy and Forgiveness; but that General Botta had absolutely rejected it, and declared he would treat with them upon no other Terms whatsoever than their surrendering to the Discretion of the Troops of the Queen of Hungary, in which case they would be secure in their Persons.

We hear from Genoa, that two French Officers and one Spanish Officer, on Parole, were made prisoners again at the forcing of the Bochetta by the Austrians, and immediately hanged upon the Spot, according to the Law of Arms.

Letter from Dartmouth, Jan. 27.

"Yesterday his Majesty's Sloop Hornet, having under Convoy a Ship of near 600 Tons, laden with Victualling Stores and some Brass Cannon, for the West-Indies, sailed from hence; but off Berry-head they saw a Ship coming from the Sea, which proving to be a French Privateer, the Hornet engaged her for near an Hour, when having lost her Foretopmast, she was obliged to bear away, with the Transport, and was followed by the Frenchman, and we believe they are both taken."

Extract of a Letter from Weymouth, Jan. 28.

"Yesterday arrived in Portland-Road the Otter Man of War, from whom we hear, that on the 26th Instant, off Lyme, they saw three Sail standing to the Southward, one of which was thought to be his Majesty's Sloop the Hornet, Capt. Keller, the other a large Storeship, and the third a French Privateer, who had taken them both; which seems to be out of Dispute, for when the Otter hoisted her Colours, they answer'd by hoisting a French Flag."

They write from the Hague, that by some Papers found in the Pockets of one of the principal Genoese Revolters who fell in the Attack of the Bochetta, it appears that the Insurrection was concerted before the Austrians passed the Var, and from many Circumstances it was suspected the Senate was therein deeply engaged.

An Order is gone to Scotland, to bring up about sixty Witnesses to be examined in Behalf of Simon Lord Lovat, at his ensuing Trial, a List of which has been delivered.

We hear that the Privateers and Transport Ships that have been for some Time past, and are every Day taking into his Majesty's Service, as well in the River as the Out-ports, are to rendezvous, with a Fleet of Men of War, at a convenient Place; and upon the Arrival of the Troops from Ireland, and Return of the Transports from Holland, another secret Expedition will be put in Execution, which may surprize and nonplus our Enemies more than any Thing that has happened since the Commencement of the War. The Number of Troops which are to be employed in that Service, it is said, will be about 20,000 Men, and a large Train of Artillery. The Officers who are appointed for this Expedition have Orders to be ready at a Day's Notice.

The Store-ship mentioned from Weymouth to be taken, is supposed to be the Ship with Cannon, &c. on board, bound to Jamaica, valued at 50,000 l. Sterling.

LONDON, February 5.

Letters from Portsmouth, Feb. 3. say, that the Sunderland, Capt. Cornwall, was returned to Spithead with a prodigious rich Spanish Prize, having on board sixty Tons of Treasure, &c.

A Yacht is ordered to sail directly, to bring over the Earl of Morton from France.

The Eveleigh, late James, from South-Carolina to Bristol, that was lately taken by the French, is retaken and carried into Jersey.

BRISTOL, February 7.

On Thursday the Blanford Privateer, Captain Stonehouse, with the St. Philip her Prize, estimated at 30,000 l. Value, arrived here from Milford. The Captain, whose Leg was shatter'd by a Ball in the Engagement, was obliged to have it cut off, but, we hear, he is in a fair Way of doing well. *(since dead.)*

LONDON, February 7.

Orders are given for all the Officers belonging to his Majesty's Ships of War, to repair to their Commands with all Expedition.

There are making upwards of Three Hundred Suits of Cloaths, which are to be sent over to his Royal Highness the Duke in Flanders, in order to distinguish a sort of Hussars, or irregular Troops, who are continually to scour the Woods and other Places to prevent Attempts that are often made by the Enemies upon small Parties attending our Baggage, &c.

The King William Storeship, bound to the West-Indies, and supposed to be taken by a French Privateer, is said to have had on board 114 Pieces of Iron Ordnance, 100 of which were 24 pounders, and the rest of 32, besides other Stores of Value.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, *Feb.* 10.

On the 5th Instant his Majesty's Ship the Eagle, commanded by Capt. Rodney, arrived in Plymouth Sound, having on board 340 Prisoners, who belong'd to a French Privateer called the Bellona of Nantz, of 36 Carriage and 12 Swivel Guns, taken the 2d Instant by the Edinburg, Nottingham, and Eagle; She had been out forty Days and taken only one Brig from Boston. The Prize is arrived at Portsmouth.

LONDON, February 10.

Letters from Hanover say, that Orders were arrived from London for a good Body of Electoral Troops to march without fail to the Low-Countries about the middle of March, to be furnished by his Britannick Majesty as Elector; and that a Courier pass'd thro' that City on the 26th O.S. from Copenhagen for London, with, *as 'tis said*, the agreeable News that 12,000 Danes were to hold themselves in Readiness to march by Virtue of a Convention lately entered into between that Court and the Court of London, and that General Schullemberg was to have the Command thereof in Chief.

This Week General Hawley, General Churchill, and several other Officers, set out with the Troops for Flanders.

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By many private Letters we have Advice of prodigious warlike Preparations that are making, both by Sea and Land, throughout the Ruſſian Empire.

His Royal Highneſs the Duke arrived at Helvoetſluys on Wedneſday laſt, about three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in perfect Health, and immediately proceeded to the Hague.

LONDON, *February* 12.

Our laſt Letters from Madrid, ſpeak of a great Controverſy on Foot, between the New Prime-Miniſter and the French Ambaſſador, grounded on a Scheme form'd by the firſt, to ſet up Manufactures in the Spaniſh Dominions, reſembling thoſe of France; and which the Ambaſſador inſiſts is contrary to a Treaty of Commerce, ſign'd between the two Crowns ſince the Aſcenſion of Philip V. to the Throne: and conſequently, muſt occaſion great Conteſts between the two Crowns. That there is any ſuch Treaty the Miniſter denies, except in the Ambaſſador's Imagination, and thereupon demands Proof of which the Ambaſſador being only capable of giving, by way of Inference, the Diſpute is for the preſent ſuſpended.

By a Liſt of the Auxiliary Body of Dutch Troops, which are to ſerve in the next Campaign it appears, that they will have in the Field, Cavalry 8,625: Infantry, 30,178; beſides Free Companies and Artillery 1,250, in all 40,052 Effective Men; and we are aſſured, that the whole Allied Army in Flanders, will amount to 140,000, and that the proper Meaſures have been taken to have a ſuperior Army to the French on the Italian Side, as well as in the Low Countries.

By a Letter from a Miniſter at the Court of Saxony to another at the Hague, dated Feb. 6th, it appears, that the Court of Ruſſia is offended at the Demand made by the Pruſſian Miniſter of a Renewal of the Treaty of Breſlau, without mentioning that of Dreſden, in which the Guarantee of Ruſſia was offer'd, but refuſed by his Pruſſian Majeſty, and have retorted on the King of Pruſſia his own Anſwer, when his Acceſſion was demanded to a Treaty lately concluded with his Britannick Majeſty, viz. *that having the Honour to be already in Alliance with the Empreſs of Ruſſia, it was unneceſſary to enter into other Treaties, which would only tend to raiſe Difficulties, and occaſion Confuſion.*

We are told as a Certainty, that the French are fitting out, in all their Ports, every Ship of War they have, having ſome grand Projects to put in Execution, either in Europe or North-America. And we hear that Orders have been ſent to Plymouth, for the Men of War there not to put to Sea 'till further Orders. And that on Sunday laſt ſailed through Cowes Road, the Surprize Man of War, and the Jamaica and Viper Sloops, which are intended to cruize off the French Harbours, and obſerve their Motions.

BRISTOL, *February* 14.

Extract of a private Letter from Liſbon, Jan. 21.

"I promiſed to inform you, that tho' we did not carry the World before us, by the Capture of the Hector and Henry, after ſix Months Cruize in the Weſtern Ocean; yet we have not been quite ſo unlucky as ſome others, who entertained equal Expectations with us. We've taken one Frenchman of 4 or 5000 l. Value, one Dutchman of 10,000 l. and laſtly, a Regiſter-ſhip of 24 Guns and 150 Men, valued at 120,000 l. which we brought in here a few Days after Chriſtmas, ſhe being bound to Buenos Ayres, and having on board three Governors with their Ladies, and other Paſſengers, who had Ventures on board to the Amount of 27,000 l. of which we complaiſantly return'd them a large Share. And on New Year's Day we had an Engagement with a Frenchman off the Bar of Liſbon, but the Forts taking her Part, we were obliged to deſiſt, and ſhe got in ſafe; however, we ſaved two of our Country Ships from falling a Prey to the Enemy.

"We are to ſail To-morrow, upon good Intelligence, on a ſix Weeks Cruize, which finiſhes our Articles. We have alſo great Hopes of meeting the Hector, one of the Ships we fitted out after, as ſhe is expected on the Coaſt daily, tho' the Henry is arrived ſafe at the Groyne.

"Our Fleet conſiſts of five Sail, call'd the Royal Family a-float, being the King George, Commodore Walker, the Prince Frederick, Denham, the Duke, Dilton, the Princeſs Amelia, Bromedge, and the Prince Edward, Shaftoe."

LONDON, *February* 14.

We are aſſured that one Pardon is paſſing the Seals for 748 of the Rebels that were taken in the late Rebellion, and another for 81 more of the Rebels who refuſed to deliver an Account of their Chriſtian Names, pretending that they are Subjects of the French King, bearing his Commiſſion, and ought to be exchanged for Engliſh Priſoners. All of them are to be tranſported to ſome of the Britiſh Plantations.

On Thurſday John Murray, Eſq; late Secretary to the Pretender, was brought up to the Bar of the Court of King's-Bench; and the Warrants of his Commitment and Detainer, and all the other Proceſs and Proceedings being removed by *Certiorari*, were read in Court, and alſo the Bills of Attainder made in the laſt Seſſions of Parliament whereby the ſeveral Perſons therein named, whereof Mr. Murray was one, were to ſtand attainted of High-Treaſon, unleſs they ſurrendered themſelves on or before the 12th Day of July laſt: Which being read to the Court, the Attorney-General moved, That Mr. Murray might be called upon, to know what he had to ſay why Execution ſhould not be awarded againſt him upon that Attainder; and thereupon Mr. Murray was arraigned, and on his Arraignment (confeſſing that he was the ſame John Murray named in the Act of Parliament) he pleaded, That he ſurrendered himſelf to my Lord Juſtice Clerk on the 28th Day of June, being a Fortnight before the Time limitted in the Act of Parliament expired; and that immediately upon his Surrender he was impriſoned in the Caſtle of Edinburgh, and has been ever ſince in Cuſtody, and therefore was not liable to the Penalty of that Law. To this Mr. Attorney-General replied, That he had his Majeſty's Orders to confeſs this Plea to be true. And hereupon the Court directed, that Mr. Murray's Plea, and this Confeſſion of the Attorney-General thereto, ſhould be entered upon the Record; and then remanded Mr. Murray to the Tower.

The ſame Day ſeveral Gentlemen arrived in Town from Scotland, that are to be Witneſſes againſt Simon Lord Lovat; and we hear that his Lordſhip is a little indiſpoſed at his Lodgings in the Tower.

Yeſterday all his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland's Baggage was ſent for Graveſend, in order to be embarked for Flanders.

And the ſame Day ſeveral General Officers, whoſe Regiments are in Flanders, ſet out for Harwich, in order to go on board the Packet-Boats for Holland, they being to join their reſpective Corps the beginning of next Month.

The ſame Day a Proclamation was iſſued out, that hence-forward the Pilots ſerving on board Ships and Veſſels of War in our Pay ſhall receive an equal Share of all Prizes with the Lieutenants and Quarter-maſters of Land-Forces, Boatſwain, Gunner, Purſer, Carpenter, Surgeon, Chaplain, &c. on board ſuch Ships.

WHITEHALL, *February* 17.

The King has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Jonathan Belcher, Eſq; Captain-General and Governor in Chief of New Jerſey in America.

LONDON, *February* 17.

They write from Peterſburgh, that on the 29th of Jan. the Earl of Hyndford diſpatched a Courier to London, with the Act lately ſigned by his Excellency and the Imperial Miniſters, whereby his Britannick Majeſty accedes to the Treaty between that Court and the Court of Vienna, and conſequently takes part in all the Engagements contracted between thoſe two Powers.

Private Letters from Leghorn, dated Jan. 30th, mention, that the Auſtrians had entrenched themſelves near the Top of the Bochetta; that the Country People had attempted to diſlodge them, but were repulſed; and that a ſecond Attempt was to be made on the 14th, the Succeſs of which was not then known; that the Auſtrians had ſet Fire to the Villages and Houſes, and refuſed Quarter to ſome who obſtinately defended a Houſe near Voltri, which had exaſperated the Country, rather than intimidated them: that the Revolters on their Part had cut to Pieces ſome Auſtrian Priſoners, and that it was with Difficulty the Government prevented the Rabble from maſſacreing 5000 Auſtrian Priſoners in the City who were guarded by Prieſts and Fryers; that the Peaſants of the Eaſtern Riviera were reſolved to hazard all in Defence of the State, and were marching towards the Capital to oppoſe the Germans, ſo that unleſs they are ſtrongly reinforced, it will no eaſy Task to ſubdue it, and muſt inevitably be attended with great Effuſion of Blood on both Sides.

We are poſitively aſſured, by private Letters from Nice, that no Detachment whatſoever of the French Army purſued Gen. Brown in his Retreat over the Var; on the contrary, as ſoon as Marſhal Belleiſle was certain that the Auſtrians were croſſing that River, he immediately march'd back the main Body of his Army, ſending forwards to Grace, only a ſmall Body of Light Horſe, to watch the Motions of the Enemy.

The ſame Letters mention, that the Want of Forage and Proviſion, which the bad Weather undoubtedly hinder'd from coming up, was the only Reaſon of his Retreat; and that as ſoon as they, and the promiſed Reinforcements, amounting to near 15,000 Men, arrive, he will certainly croſs that River again and purſue his Operations; and he did not doubt but that every Thing would be ready

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for his so doing by the Time the Season would permit him to encamp, which he apprehended might be by the End of March at farthest.

Letters from Vienna say, that they are obliged to the British Ambassador, Mr. Porter, for clearing up the Affair of the Turkish Troops marching to Belgrade. It seems the Basha who commands in that Place was oblig'd to pay the Janissaries short for some Time for want of the necessary Remittances from Constantinople, which caused a Mutiny, and this obliged the Porte to defile Troops that Way to reduce the Malecontents to Reason. The Janissaries, it seems stopped the British Ambassador in his Way to Constantinople, and obliged him to charge himself with a Memorial to the Grand Seignor. The Courier he sent with this Account travelled with extraordinary Diligence, and the Court seems to be perfectly satisfied that there is nothing to be appreponded on that Side.

CHARLES-TOWN, May 11.

On Friday last the *Isabella* Privateer Galley (fitted out by Mr. *Irving* and some other Gentlemen here) arrived from *Jamaica*: She cruized some Time in the *Bahama Old-Straights*, where Capt. *Lamprier* met with a *Spanish* Flag of Truce, out of which he says he took 2326 Dollars, all that could be found out of 13,000 that were on board; which is all that is remarkable of her Cruize.—— As soon as the Galley arrived here, Capt. *L.* and the Crew desired the Money might be immediately divided, and the Owners had their Dividends offered them, which they refusing to take until legally condemn'd, *L.* directly quitted his Command, and the Money was carried off, (it is thought, with an Intention to divide it without Interruption, in case it should not be condemn'd.) Hereof the Owners of the *Isabella* having complained to the Judge of the Court of Vice-Admiralty, we hear, there is already one Person in Custody of the Marshal.

On Saturday arrived the Ship *European*, *Wright*, from *London*; by whom we have no other News, than that he engaged a *French* Privateer off the *Lizard*, 3 Hours, and beat her off, after receiving and doing considerable Damage; and that the Ship *William* and *Thomas*, *Stephen Wright* Master, also from *London* bound for this Port, was taken by the same Privateer.

The same Day died, in the 33d Year of her Age, Mrs. *Lucretia Moultrie*, the Wife of Mr. *John Moultrie* an eminent Physician in this Town, a Gentlewoman possessed of every Quality that could render her an Ornament to her Sex.

We hear from *Beaufort*, that last Week Capt. *Hugh Campbell* was married to Miss *Catherine Delegall*, eldest Daughter of Major *Philip Delegall* of *Cape-Breton*, a very agreeable young Lady of great Merit.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, Charles-Town, *Entered Inwards this Week, no Vessels.*

Entered Outwards:

Sloop Mary, Nathaniel Dickinson, for Barbados,

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Diligence, Ever Deverson,
Ship William, John Fawcitt,
Brigt. Carolina, William Paul, and
Sloop Pelican, Samuel Appowin, to London.
Brigt. John & Mary, Samuel Horne, to Antigua.
Sloop Nassau, Samuel Saltus, to Bermuda.

Market Price at Charlestown, of the following Goods, of the Produce and Manufacture of this Province.

Rice per 100 Wt. 32 *s.* 6	Indigo, 17 *s.* 6
Pitch per Barrel, 30 *s.*	Deer-Skins per *lb.* 16 *s.* 6
Tar, 30 *s.*	Corn per Bushel, 7 *s.* 6
Turpentine, 9 *s.*	Peafe, 7 *s.* 6
Beef, 6 *l.*	Staves per 1000, 18 *l.*
Pork, 9 *l.*	Sallad Oyl per Quart, 12 *s.* 6
Bacon, 10 *s.*	Turp. Oyl per Gallon, 12 *s.* 6

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Capt. *Abraham Micheau* advertises a bright bay Stallion, unbranded, about 13 Hands high, and 4 Years old, with a black Mane and Tail: Also a dark Roan Mare, unbranded, about 6 Years old, and 13 Hands high. The Owner or Owners may have them, proving his or their Property, and paying the lawful Charges. ⊕ *John Gendron*, J.P.

ODD Olive Oyl, at 10 *sh. per* Bottle, to be sold at *The Fortune of War* on the Bay, by ⊖ *Peter Dezid.*

Notice is hereby given, that if any Person has a mind to go over the Bar in my Boat, it will be convenient (as there is a great deal of Trouble given) that he or she pay 5 *l.* if two or four Persons, 3 *l.* each, and if six or more, 40 *sh.* each. ⊕

Stolen or stray'd out of my Pasture in *Goose-Creek*, the 3d Day of last Month, a light bay Horse, about 14 Hands and an half high, branded SG on the Right Buttock. Whoever brings him to me, or to Mr. *Richard Gough*, shall have 40 *sh.* Reward, besides reasonable Charges. ⊕ *O Neal. Gough.*

Just imported, and to be sold by *Eleazer Phillips*, Bookseller, near the upper Market, Bibles with the Scots Psalms, &c. testaments, psalters with the church catechism and without, primers of several sorts, dyche's spelling-books, &c. common prayer books with new notes, cautus, medius and bussus, the larger confession of faith in the church of scotland, boston's human nature, dickson's sermons on important subjects, gray's mystery of faith, willison's afflicted man's companion, shepard's sound believer, dyer's Christ's famous titles and a believer's golden chain, bunyan's pilgrims progress in 3 parts, hale on religion, baxter's call to the unconverted, guthery's christian's great interest, russel's seven sermons, campbell's meditations on death, the art of preserving health, reflections on courtship and marriage, friendly instructor, religious courtship, with many others sorts of divinity, physick, law and history books, and stationary ware. ⊕

Run away from the Brigt. *Success*, *George Bursall* Master, now lying at *Elliott's* Wharff, a thin spare Lad, named *John Hamline*, Apprentice to the said *Bursall*; wears his own light Hair, and had on when he went away a check'd shirt, and dirty Canvas Frock and Trowsers, and a bad pair of old Pumps. Whoever shall bring or cause the said Lad to be brought to his said Master, shall have 3 *l.* Reward, and (if taken any Distance from Town) customary travelling Charges: But whoever shall conceal or harbour the said Lad, and not give Intelligence thereof, shall be prosecuted with the utmost Severity, by ⊕ *George Bursall.*

Run away from the Subscriber, a likely, tall and slim Mustee Fellow, named *Mingo*, about 20 Years old, and lately belonged to Mr. *John Atchison* of *Santee*, is a Cooper by Trade. Whoever brings him to me, or carries him to the Workhouse, shall have 5 *l.* Reward besides lawful Charges; and whoever gives Information of any Person's employing the said Fellow, so as he may be convicted thereof, shall have 10 *l.* Reward of ⊕ *Christopher Gadsden.*

Mr. *John Steel* advertises a black Gelding, about 14 Hands high, branded on the mounting Buttock with IH, his left hind Foot white, a long Maine and switch Tail, hath a white Face, and a few saddle Gauls on his Withers, has had a Fistulo and is a Pacer. Any Person owning said Horse, may have him again, proving his Right and paying the lawful Charges. ⊕ *John Gendron*, J.P.

Stolen or stray'd from Mrs. *Diston*'s Pasture near *Dorchester*, a bay pacing Horse, about 14 Hands high, with a Blaze in his Forehead, branded on the near Shoulder thus ℞, and on the near Buttock with a +. Whoever brings him to me, shall have 40 *sh.* Reward. ⊕ *Stephen Cater.*

Choice Claret, white and most other Wines, Rum, muscovado and loaf Sugar, Wine Vinegar at 10 *s.* a Gallon by the Quantity, and sundry other Goods, to be sold very cheap by *John Francis Tribaudt* in *Unity-Alley*. He also clarifies, and repairs decaying Wines. ⊕

Stray'd into Mr. *Le Queux*'s Plantation at *English Santee*, a flea-bitten Horse, 14 Hands high, branded on the mounting Shoulder FI. Whoever owns the said Horse may have him again, proving his Property, and paying the lawful Charges. ⊕ *John Gendron*, J.P.

Found, on the East End of *Bull's-Island*, about a Month ago, a new Cypres Canow, 27 Feet long, and 4 wide. The Owner may have her again, paying the Charges, of *Joseph Player.*

Taken up, on *April* the 10th, by *Paul Brunean*, a Mouse-colour'd 5 Year old Stallion, with a bald Face, and one hind Foot white, dock'd and branded as his Property. The Owner may have him again of the said *Paul Brunean.*

Brought to the Work-house in Charles-Town.

May 9th, 1747. *Leonard*, a run away Negro Fellow, belonging to Mr. *Joseph Crosby's.*